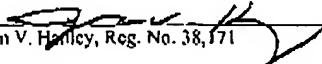


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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is responsive to the final Office action mailed April 11, 2006, the response for which is due July 11, 2006. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

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